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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Hiroji Masuda et al.

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For: Optical Fiber Communication System Using
Remote Pumping

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.